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PUBLIC DEFENSE 102: TRIAL ADVOCACY WORKSHOP

Richland County Judicial Center, 1701 Main Street, Columbia, South Carolina

May 4-6, 2020

CLE Course # _____

CLE Credit: 16.25 Hours including 1 Hour of Ethics

AGENDA

MONDAY, MAY 4TH

8:30 a.m. to 8:45 a.m.	Registration	Courtroom TBD <u>All Plenary Sessions Take Place in Courtroom 2A</u>
8:45 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.	Plenary	Opening - Workshop Structure and Goals <i>Christopher Scalzo, Circuit Public Defender</i> <i>13th Judicial Circuit, Greenville, SC</i> <i>(15 minutes)</i>
9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.	Plenary	Defenders, Take Note! (The Trial Notebook, Witness Notes & Trial Notes) <i>Christopher Scalzo, Circuit Public Defender</i> <i>13th Judicial Circuit, Greenville, SC</i> <i>(30 minutes)</i>
9:30 a.m. to 9:35 a.m.	Break	<i>(5 minutes)</i>
9:35 a.m. - 10:35 a.m.	Plenary	Theory and Theme of a Case <i>Ashley Pennington, Circuit Public Defender</i> <i>9th Judicial Circuit, Charleston, SC</i> <i>(60 minutes)</i>
10:35 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.	Break	<i>(10 minutes)</i>
10:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.	Breakout 1	Theory-and-Theme Brainstorm Workshop* <i>(60 minutes)</i>
11:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Lunch	<i>(On your own – 75 minutes)</i>
1:00 p.m. to 1:45 p.m.	Plenary	Opening-Statements Lecture <i>John Kozelski, Assistant Public Defender</i> <i>9th Judicial Circuit</i> <i>(45 minutes)</i>
1:45 p.m. to 1:55 p.m.	Break	<i>(10 minutes)</i>
1:55 p.m. to 2:40 p.m.	Plenary	Cross Examination Lecture <i>Grant Gibbons, Circuit Public Defender</i> <i>2nd Judicial Circuit, Aiken, SC</i> <i>(45 minutes)</i>
2:40 p.m. to 3:10 p.m.	Breakout 2	Cross-Examination Brainstorm Workshop <i>(30 minutes)</i>
3:10 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.	Break	<i>(5 minutes)</i>
3:15 to 5:00 p.m.	Breakout 2	Cross-Examination Practice Workshop* <i>(105 minutes)</i>

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Social Event: Wild Wing Café, 729 Lady Street (Tentative)

TUESDAY, MAY 5TH

8:30 a.m. to 8:45 a.m.	Registration	Courtroom TBD
8:45 a.m. to 9:15 a.m.	Breakout 3	Opening-Statement Brainstorm Workshop (30 minutes)
9:15 a.m. to 9:20 a.m.	Break	(5 minutes)
9:20 a.m. to 10:50 a.m.	Breakout 3	Opening-Statement Practice Workshop (90 minutes)
10:50 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	Break	(10 minutes)
11:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.	Plenary	Direct-Examination Lecture <i>Rhodes Bailey</i> <i>Assistant Public Defender, Columbia, SC</i> (45 minutes)
11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.	Breakout 4	Direct-Examination Brainstorm Workshop (30 minutes)
12:15 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.	Lunch	(On your own – 75 minutes)
1:30 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.	Breakout 4	Direct-Examination Practice Workshop (105 minutes)
3:15 p.m. to 3:25 p.m.	Break	(10 minutes)
3:25 p.m. to 4:10 p.m.	Plenary	Closing Statement Lecture <i>Ronald Hazzard</i> <i>Chief Public Defender, Georgetown, SC</i> (45 minutes)
4:10 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.	Break	(5 minutes)
4:15 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Breakout 5	Closing Statements Brainstorm Workshop (45 minutes)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 6TH

8:30 a.m. to 8:45 a.m.	Registration	Courtroom TBD
8:45 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	Breakout 5	Closing Statements Practice Workshop (135 minutes)
11:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.	Break	(15 minutes)
11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.	Plenary	Courtroom Ethics <i>Boyd Young</i> <i>Capital Trial Division</i> <i>SCCID</i> (60 minutes)

An interactive discussion with the faculty and attendees on various ethical issues relating to trial advocacy that arose in the small group sessions.

***Breakout Sessions** – Each breakout session will consist of four or five students and two faculty members. Faculty members will oversee students conduct on-your-feet exercises pertaining to trial skills. One faculty member will be permanently assigned to each group for continuity. Other faculty members will rotate among the various workshops to interject fresh ideas and perspectives.